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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under 37 CFR §1.121, mailed February 05, 2008 (copy enclosed), applicant submits the following Response and a corrected "Amendments to the Claims" section, in compliance with 37 CFR §1.121. Entry of the corrected section of the Amendment and consideration of the following remarks respectfully are requested.

Amendments to the claims (corrected section) begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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